HONOURABLE MS JUSTICE G. ROHINI

WRIT PETITION No. 27014 of 2006

Dated 6th July 2007

Between:

K.Sakunthalamma,
Kamalamarri Village, Galiveedu Mandal,
Kadapa District.

.....Petitioner.

and

The State of Andhra Pradesh,
Rep. By its District Collector,
Kadapa, Kadapa District and others.

.....Respondents.

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ORDER:

The petitioner is the authorized dealer of the Fair Price Shop of Kamalamarri Village, Galiveedu Mandal, Kadapa District.

Her authorization was suspended pending enquiry vide proceedings of the 2nd respondent dated 13.8.2004.

Challenging the said order, this Writ Petition has been filed contending *inter alia* that having suspended the authorization long back in the month of August, 2004, the respondents have neither completed the enquiry nor restored the authorization, which is contrary to the law laid down by a decision of Division Bench of this Court in ***The Joint Collector, Kurnool v. A. Neelima***[1].

Though a counter affidavit is filed, the fact that the enquiry is still pending has not been disputed by the respondents.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances, the Writ Petition is disposed of with a direction to the 2nd respondent to complete the enquiry and pass appropriate orders in accordance with law as expeditiously as possible, preferably within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. Keeping in view that the impugned order was suspended by this Court by order dated 28.12.2006 in W.P.M.P.No.34708 of 2004 and the same is in operation all through, it is made clear that till the enquiry is completed, the impugned order shall not be given effect to.

The Writ Petition is accordingly disposed of. No costs.

(G.ROHINI, J)

Dated: 6th July 2007
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[1] 1996 (1) APLJ 285